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Sermon Yesterday

At the First Lutheran Church last night Rev. Rydquist spoke to a large audience on the subject of "The Transfiguration." He said in part:

The mountain on which this transfiguration took place has long been an object of dispute. In the early part of the sixth century built on Mt. Tabor were three churches corresponding to the three tabernacles Peter proposed to build at the time of the transfiguration. Mt. Tabor was perhaps selected because

of early traditions and partly because it was more accessible and offered an abundance of building material from the ruins of the Roman fortress, which at the time of Christ was located there. It is now however established beyond a doubt that Mt. Hermon was the scene of the transfiguration. Our text also points to this fact; "After six days Jesus taketh Peter, James, and John, his brother, and bringeth them up into a high mountain apart." The word "high" cannot refer to Mt. Tabor, for it is only about 2000 feet high, while Mt. Hermon with its three lofty peaks is no less than 9000 feet high.

It was at the close of a sabbath day during an oriental summer. A delicious cool hung over the mountain as the Saviour ascended with his three disciples. The Saviour needed prayer in order that his soul might be calm and peaceful in his absolute self-surrender, and in order that he might be strengthened in his sacrificial obedience. As the Master was thus praying the disciples saw him transformed before them. The divine light and life shone through the form of the servant. With him were two men representatives of the old covenant, and a haze of transcendent light enveloped them. The disciples were in an ecstasy of delight. In their confusion they spoke to the Master, "Lord, it is good for us to be here." But the heavenly light and the visitants from that ethereal abode soon vanished and the disciples were alone with their Master.

The object of the Transfiguration was a two-fold one. Christ was human as well as divine. His humanity enveloped his divinity and hid it from his own view and consciousness at times. Just as in the dark moments of our trials we sometimes doubt that we are the children of God, and feel as if the Lord had forsaken us.

But the disciples were with him on the mountain for a special reason. These same three were to witness the agony in the garden and to stand around the accursed cross. Therefore they were now present to see array of his divine glory. And it was to the mespecially that the Father spoke from the cloud, saying: "This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased." They were to be fortified against doubt, and convinced that he was the Son of God. There is an interest also for us in this narrative. It assures us of a personal transfiguration. There is such a one going on in the present. There is a renewing of the spirit. I am not speaking of the man who is satisfied with himself, who does not try to live a better life. But I am speaking of the man who has set his ideals high and is striving for them. Such a man is conscious of the divine nearness, and the light of truth dawns more and more upon him. It points also to a more perfect transformation. Mt. Hermon is the glory-kindled beacon light, which shines through the darkness of this world pointing to that great day when "this corruption shall put on incorruption."

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NEWS OF OREGON AND THE NORTHWEST.

FARMERS BUSY HARVESTING.

HILLSBORO, Ore., July 29.—Professor G. F. McKay, of the Iowa State Agricultural College, accompanied by J. W. Bailey, State Food Commissioner; Professor F. L. Kent, of Corvallis, and H. E. Lounsbury, of the Southern Pacific, were here last night. Professor McKay addressed a meeting of the dairymen of this vicinity, his subject being "Dairying and the Care of Milk." Owing to the immense hay and grain crops and the scarcity of labor, farmers are doing a great deal of their own work this season, and the meeting was not largely attended.

IS TOWED UP THE WISKAH.

Schooner Falk Reaches Point Not Touched in Fifteen Years.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 29.—The schooner Charles E. Falk was towed up the Wishkah River yesterday to a point above the North Aberdeen bridge. This is the first vessel to go that far in 15 years, and as the vessel met with no difficulty it solves the problem of building mills on this stream. The Falk will load shingles for San Francisco.

BILL HURLEY ELECTED MANAGER.

ABERDEEN, Wash., July 29.—William Hurley, known all over the coast as a successful minor league ball player, has been elected manager of the Gray's Harbor team, to succeed R. P. Brown, resigned.

Modest Claims Often Carry the Most Conviction.

When Maxim, the famous gun inventor, placed his gun before a committee of judges, he stated its carrying power to be below what he felt sure the gun would accomplish. The result of the trial was therefore a great surprise, instead of disappointment. It is the same with Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. They not publicly boast of all this remedy will accomplish, but prefer to let the users make the statements. What they do claim, is that it will positively cure diarrhoea, dysentery, pains in the stomach and bowels and has never been known to fail. For sale by Frank Hart, letting druggists.

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That Pennsylvania preacher still insists that George Washington went to the ballgame every Sunday, or something of that sort. How long dogs a man have to be dead before he can be called a great man without the fear of successful contradiction?

CHARLES FRANCIS DANN.

HOQUIAM, Wash., July 29.—Charles Francis Dann, a prominent young business man of this city, died today of pneumonia after a week's illness. Deceased was born in Brooklyn, La., and was 28 years of age. He was a member of the Woodmen of the World and Macabees. He leaves an aged mother. He will be buried tomorrow under the auspices of the Woodmen of the World.

TOO HOT FOR MAZAMAS.

BELLINGHAM, Wash., July 21.—Owing to the hot weather in the foothills yesterday, many members of the Mazama party headed for Mount Baker failed to complete the 12-mile tramp from Glacier to the permanent camp. Some spent the night at Nooksack Falls, where the Stone and Webster power plant is going in, while others camped in the woods along the route. Everyone is well, according to reports received this afternoon.

WHISKY CUT HIS LIFE SHORT.

HILLSBORO, Ore., July 29.—Frank Jenks, aged about 46, and who has followed a solitary and dissolute life for many years, was found dead in the house he was occupying on Oak street last evening. Coroner E. C. Brown impanelled a jury and the verdict was that he had died from natural causes, accelerated by excessive use of alcohol. Jenks leaves two brothers. The county interred the remains today. From all appearances deceased had been dead about 48 hours.

BEAUTY LOST, BUT NOT MONEY.

SPOKANE, Wash., July 29.—Justice Hinkle this afternoon ruled that a "beauty doctor" who disfigured a woman's face could not expect to receive any fee.

Mrs. Nellie Campbedd, a clerk in the court house, last winter concluded that her face needed a little "fixing." She therefore, sought Mrs. R. Chubs and took a course of 15 treatments. She refused to pay the balance due when her face got sore, and the court sustained her action.

FUNSTON IS ILL AT TACOMA.

TACOMA, July 29.—General Frederick Funston arrived here yesterday and is ill at the Tacoma Hotel. He was unable to proceed to American Lake camp. It is claimed his illness is not serious.

OUR VAGRANT DOGS

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his pet against the dog catcher.

The new dog catcher of Astoria has been unusually busy during the present month, and the indications are that the city will be fairly well cleared of dogs that can lay claim to no owner in a short time. The catching of an unlicensed dog is according to a universal system. It is the wiry noose that encircles the neck and, breathless, the forlorn creature is yanked along to the pound, where he is greeted by a snarling and yelping from others who have previously undergone the same experience. Very few dogs that come to the dog pound will ever again breathe the free air. It is a fact that only an occasional dog is brought there who is owned by some person that soon misses him and institutes a search. Some people are careless about providing their dogs with license tags, and the dog is forced to undergo such a trying experience, while the owner has to spend a few hours fretting and stewing before it finally dawns upon him that his canine has been classified as a vagrant.

Astoria's dog pound is located on Seventeenth street between Duane and Exchange streets, and it is here the vagrants and unlicensed canines meet their doom. Since the advent of the new poundmaster owners of dogs have become alarmed at his vigorous policy of taking all dogs unlicensed, and the auditor has been deluged with applications for "life tags." In the past seven months a total of 111 licenses have been paid, and over half of these have been since Poundmaster O'Neil has taken the office.

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